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U.S. Serial No. 10/789,946

Inventors: Adrian Buckley, et al.

Title: Apparatus, and Associated Method, for Facilitating Network

Selection by a Mobile Node Pursuant to a Packet Data

**Communication Service** 

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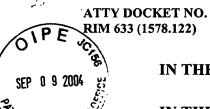
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#### PATENT DOCUMENTS

Pat/App. No.	<u>Date</u>	Inventor/Applicant
US 2003/186695	10/02/2003	Bridges
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#### Non-Patent Documents

T-Mobile: "Clarification on the use of the RAT during background scanning", 3GPP TSG-CN1 Meeting 32, TDOC N1-031689, 'Online! 27 October 2003 – 31 October 2003; pp. 1-7.

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